

DEPARTMENT H – HORSES 2021

SUPERINTENDENTS:

Open Horse Show

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Mini Horse & Pony Show

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ENTRY:

Online entry is mandatory at: www.montanafair.com

Contact the entry office at (406)256-2400 or email:

entryoffice@metrapark.com The MontanaFair Entry Office is located on the 3rd floor in the First Interstate Arena @ MetraPark

DIVISION 1 – Open Horse Show - SuperBarn

Saturday, August 14th @ 4:00 pm and Sunday, August 15th @ 9:00 am

DIVISION 2 – Miniature Horse & Pony Show– SuperBarn

Saturday, August 21st @ 9:00 am

***Entry deadline is August 2, 2021 for both shows Horse entry will not be allowed on show day.*
See Rules below regarding post entries***

Horse Office Charge:	\$20.00 per horse *
Class Entry Fee:	\$ 8.00 per class/per horse/per show
Stakes Class Entry Fee:	\$15.00 per class/per horse
Stall Fee and/or Tack Stall Fee:	\$10.00 per stall/per day
	Stall fees must be paid if you use a stall at anytime

***ENTRY DEADLINE:** Due to the large number of entries received for MontanaFair, an entry deadline date is established for all departments. In the Horse Department, the **ENTRY DEADLINE is MONDAY, AUGUST 2nd @ 5:00 pm.** for both shows. New entries for exhibitors/horses will not be allowed after that date. Horses that have been entered and paid fees by entry deadline, may enter additional classes, however entry fees for classes (including stake classes) will be doubled and must be paid immediately with cash or check. Credit card payments will not be allowed for additional classes. MontanaFair does not operate with “tab” checks. The exhibitor may enter additional classes at any time up until 5 classes prior to class. *Minor exhibitors must have signature of a parent or guardian.* All entries must include full payment.

EXHIBITORS WILL FORFEIT ANY PREMIUMS AND POINTS GIVEN TOWARDS THE HIGH POINT FOR ANY POST ENTERED CLASSES THAT ARE LEFT UNPAID at the end of the show. Post entry fees cannot be deducted from premiums earned.

ARRIVAL AND CHECK IN: Enter at Gate #1 (Livestock Entrance).

- Open Horse Show exhibitors may arrive Saturday, August 14th after 2:00 pm or Sunday, August 15th beginning at 7:00 am. Horses will be stalled in the AgBarn (new building next to SuperBarn). Note: You will not be able to stall until the 4-H Horse Show concludes on Saturday, August 14th and stalls have been inspected.
- Miniature Horse & Pony exhibitors may arrive Friday, August 20th after 3:00 pm or Saturday, August 21st beginning at 7:00 am. Horses will be stalled in the AgBarn (new building next to SuperBarn).

- **STALLING:** All horses will stall in the AgBarn as assigned by the Superintendent and noted on exhibitor's packet at check-in at Gate #1. Exhibitor's gate tickets will be in those packets if applicable. DO NOT stall in any other stall than assigned or you may be asked to leave the grounds. This courtesy is on behalf of other MontanaFair exhibitors and exhibits. Please do not put signs or stall decorations on the stalls with staples or tape. Use only zip ties. The show secretary will have zip ties for your use. Note: You will not be able to stall until the 4-H Horse Show concludes on Saturday, August 14th and stalls have been inspected.



GATE ADMISSION - Horse Show Exhibitors Please Note:

All horses must enter the grounds at Gate #1, (this is a paid admission gate). Gate admission will be strictly enforced at MontanaFair 2021. (See Stalling above). Beginning on Friday, August 13^h at noon (through the conclusion of MontanaFair at 11:00 pm on Saturday, August 21st) everyone in all vehicles entering the grounds, including family members, exhibitor's staff, animal caretakers, etc., **MUST HAVE** a wristband or day pass.

- **ANYONE NOT HAVING A WRISTBAND OR DAY PASS WILL BE CHARGED THE FULL DAILY GATE FEE OF \$9.00/ea (\$5.00 for children twelve & under or Seniors 65 and over) . No exceptions for any reason.**
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- Exhibitors may purchase exhibitor discount passes at time of entry by clicking on the following link:
- <https://www.metrapark.com/open-exhibitor-gate-tickets> EXHIBITOR DISCOUNT TICKETS ARE NOT AVAILABLE AFTER @ 5:00 PM ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 2, 2021.
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- **If you leave the grounds at anytime during the day, please have your hand stamped which will allow you back on the grounds again for that day only.**

HORSE SHOW RULES & REGULATIONS

Exhibitors must read and observe the General Information and Health Requirements at www.montanafair.com In addition these rules apply to the Horse Department at MontanaFair:

1. U.S. Equestrian Rules will be followed unless otherwise stated in rules.
2. All breaks are at the discretion of the Superintendent. Gate holds **must be requested and approved** by the Show Superintendent, **at least five classes before the requested gate hold**. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to be at the gate, MontanaFair will not be responsible for failure of sound system outside of the arena.
3. Hat, gloves, long sleeve shirt and sturdy shoes are required attire in Driving Classes. Western hat, long sleeve shirt and boots are mandatory in Western Classes. Chaps are optional. Exceptions for attire requirements are Fancy Dress Class and Costume classes.
4. The judge may dictate class instructions. His/her decision will be final. The Superintendent may decide matters not related to judging decisions. Matters of equipment will be decided by Judge.
5. Singles may be shown with two, four or fifth wheeled vehicle of any style.
6. Eligibility – Age for the shows will be determined by contestant or horse's age on January 1st of 2021. Proof should be available in the event of a dispute.
7. Horses currently in, or that have just completed training (within the last 30 days on show date) with the Judge are ineligible for showing.
8. Driving - Standard driving bits are required. Tie downs are not allowed. Martingales are prohibited in obstacle classes. Aprons and whips are optional. Lash of whip must not exceed horse's shoulder. Any style harness may be used. Headers are allowed in all classes. The header must remain two paces from the animal's head and must take no action that affects the performance of the horse. Exhibitors 13 and under must have a groom. Anyone driving a stallion may carry a groom.
9. Mini-Horse minimum jump will be 12". The maximum jump will be 24", unless there is a jump off. Then the maximum jump will be 36". Tennis shoes will be allowed.
10. Patterns will be posted at least one hour before the start of the show.
11. **NEW! Any horse/rider combination that has competed in a class that requires a lope (or is entered in one), may NOT cross enter in a Walk/Trot class that does not require a lope or canter.**

PREMIUMS (All divisions):

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
All classes (except stake classes)	\$17	\$12	\$ 9	\$ 7
Stakes Classes	\$50	\$25	\$15	\$10

Ribbons to 1st - 6th place in all classes.

Rosettes and \$50.00 will be awarded to Open Grand Champions (Halter) Stallions, Mares & Geldings in both shows.

Rosettes and \$25.00 will be awarded to Open Reserve Grand Champions (Halter) in both shows.

High Point Awards will be awarded in each show AS STATED. Additional High Point Awards will not be added.

All premiums will be paid by MontanaFair as soon as possible after the fair and are payable to the exhibitor as listed on the entry form. Please allow four weeks for processing and mailing. Exhibitors awarded \$600.00 or more will be required to complete a current W-9 form prior to receipt of premium check. In the case of a tie for a high-point cash award, funds will be split on a 50/50 basis and non-cash award will be decided by a toss of the coin. Ribbons must be picked up by 6:00 on day of show before leaving the grounds. MontanaFair will not mail non-cash awards and they become surrendered if not collected at show.



OPEN HORSE SHOW - Note: To be eligible for a high point award, a halter class will be mandatory.

OPEN - \$500 & TROPHY BUCKLE

14-18 - \$150 & TROPHY BUCKLE ~ 13 & UNDER - \$150 & TROPHY BUCKLE

WALK TROT - \$50 & AWARD (ANY HORSE OR RIDER IN THIS DIVISION MAY NOT ENTER A CLASS THAT REQUIRES A LOPE).

(Handler/Horse Must Be the Same for High Point)**MINIATURE HORSE & PONY SHOW - Note: To be eligible for a high point award, a halter class will be mandatory.**

OPEN MINIATURE & PONY SHOW - \$250 & TROPHY BUCKLE

YOUTH MINIATURE & PONY SHOW (18 & UNDER) - \$150 & TROPHY BUCKLE

(Handler/Horse Must Be the Same for High Point)*(The Miniature/Pony is one high point award -high point of combined classes)*

OPEN HORSE SHOW

Judge – Keith Longacre

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10th - 5:00 PM

1. TRAIL - YOUTH - WALK/TROT 17 & under
2. TRAIL - YOUTH - AGE 13 & UNDER
3. TRAIL - YOUTH - AGE 14-18
4. TRAIL – ADULT – WALK/TROT (18 & OVER)
5. TRAIL – OPEN
6. TRAIL –STAKES

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11th - 9:00 AM

7. OPEN GELDING/STALLION - YEARLING
8. OPEN GELDING/STALLION - 2 & 3 YR OLDS
9. OPEN GELDING/STALLION - 4 YRS & OLDER
GRAND & RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION
10. YOUTH GELDING - YEARLING
11. YOUTH GELDING - 2 & 3 YR OLDS
12. YOUTH GELDING - 4 YRS & OLDER
GRAND & RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION
13. OPEN MARES - YEARLING
14. OPEN MARES - 2 & 3 YEAR OLDS
15. OPEN MARES - 4 YRS & OLDER
GRAND & RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION
16. YOUTH MARES – YEARLING
17. YOUTH MARES – 2 & 3 YEAR OLDS
18. YOUTH MARES – 4 YRS & OLDER
GRAND & RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION
19. SHOWMANSHIP - WALK/TROT
20. SHOWMANSHIP - WALK/TROT - ADULT
21. SHOWMANSHIP - 13 & UNDER
22. SHOWMANSHIP - 14-18 YEARS

23. SHOWMANSHIP - OPEN
24. SHOWMANSHIP – STAKES
25. YEARLING LUNGE LINE
26. ENGLISH PLEASURE - WALK/TROT
27. ENGLISH PLEASURE - WALK/TROT - ADULT
28. ENGLISH PLEASURE - 13 & UNDER
29. ENGLISH PLEASURE – 14-18 YEAR OLDS
30. ENGLISH PLEASURE – OPEN
31. ENGLISH PLEASURE – STAKES
32. ENGLISH EQUITATION–WALK/TROT -YOUTH
33. ENGLISH EQUITATION – WALK/TROT-ADULT
34. ENGLISH EQUITATION – 13 & YOUNGER
35. ENGLISH EQUITATION – 14-18 YEARS OLD
36. ENGLISH EQUITATION – OPEN
37. ENGLISH EQUITATION – STAKES
38. LEADLINE
39. WESTERN PLEASURE – WALK/TROT – YOUTH
40. WESTERN PLEASURE – WALK/TROT – ADULT
41. WESTERN PLEASURE – 13 & YOUNGER
42. WESTERN PLEASURE – 14-18 YEAR OLDS
43. WESTERN PLEASURE – OPEN
44. WESTERN PLEASURE - STAKES
45. WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP-WALK/TROT - YOUTH
46. WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP-WALK/TROT ADULT
47. WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP – 13 & YOUNGER
48. WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP – 14-18 YR OLDS
49. WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP – OPEN
50. WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP – STAKES



MINIATURE HORSE & PONY SHOW
Saturday, August 21, 2021 @ 9:00 am
Judge – To Be Announced

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| 201. MINI – GELDINGS/STALLIONS – YEARLINGS | 301 PONY - GELDINGS/STALLIONS -YEARLING |
| 202. MINI – GELDING/STALLIONS – 2 YRS & OLDER | 302 PONY - GELDINGS/STALLIONS -2 YRS & OLDER |
| GRAND & RESERVE CHAMPION-MINI GELDINGS/STALLIONS | GRAND & RESERVE CHAMPION PONY |
| 203. MINI – YOUTH GELDINGS – YEARLING | GELDINGS/STALLIONS |
| 204. MINI – YOUTH GELDINGS – 2 YRS OLD & OLDER | 303 PONY - YOUTH GELDINGS - YEARLING |
| GRAND & RESERVE CHAMPION MINI YOUTH GELDINGS | 304 PONY - YOUTH GELDINGS - 2 YRS OLD & OLDER |
| 205. MINI – OPEN MARES – YEARLINGS | GRAND & RESERVE CHAMPION -PONY YOUTH |
| 206. MINI – OPEN MARES – 2 YRS & OLDER | GELDINGS |
| GRAND & RESERVE CHAMPION MINI MARES | 305 PONY - OPEN MARES - YEARLING |
| 207. MINI – YOUTH MARES – YEARLINGS | 306 PONY - YOUTH MARES - 2 YRS OLD & OLDER |
| 208. MINI – YOUTH MARES – 2 YRS & OLDER | GRAND & RESERVE CHAMPION - PONY MARES |
| GRAND & RESERVE CHAMPION MINI YOUTH MARES | 307 PONY - YOUTH MARES - YEARLINGS |
| 209. MINI – OPEN SHOWMANSHIP | 308 PONY - YOUTH MARES - 2 YRS & OLDER |
| 210. MINI – YOUTH SHOWMANSHIP | GRAND & RESERVE CHAMPION - PONY YOUTH MARES |
| 211. MINI – LIBERTY CLASS – OPEN | 309 PONY - OPEN SHOWMANSHIP |
| 212. MINI – LIBERTY CLASS – YOUTH | 310 PONY - YOUTH SHOWMANSHIP |
| 213. ENGLISH LEADLINE – OPEN* | 311 PONY - LIBERTY CLASS - OPEN |
| 214. MINI – OPEN JUMPING (In Hand) | 312 PONY - LIBERTY CLASS - YOUTH |
| 215. MINI – YOUTH JUMPING (In Hand) | 313 ENGLISH LEADLINE |
| 216. MINI TRAIL – OPEN (In Hand) | 314 PONY - OPEN JUMPING (IN HAND) |
| 217. MINI TRAIL – YOUTH (In Hand) | 315 PONY - YOUTH JUMPING (IN HAND) |
| 218. WESTERN LEADLINE* | 316 PONY TRAIL - OPEN (IN HAND) |
| 219. MINI - COSTUME – OPEN | 317 PONY TRAIL - YOUTH (IN HAND) |
| 220. MINI -.COSTUME – YOUTH | 318 WESTERN LEADLINE |
| 221. MINI – OPEN D'ELEGANCE (Driving) | 319 PONY - COSTUME - OPEN |
| 222. MINI – YOUTH D'ELEGANCE (Driving) | 320 PONY - COSTUME -YOUTH |
| 223. MINI - OPEN DRIVING OBSTACLE | 321 PONY - OPEN D'ELEGANCE (DRIVING) |
| 224. MINI – YOUTH DRIVING OBSTACLE | 322 PONY - YOUTH D'ELEGANCE (DRIVING) |
| 225. MINI – OPEN PLEASURE DRIVING | 323 PONY - OPEN DRIVING OBSTACLE |
| 226. MINI – YOUTH PLEASURE DRIVING | 324 PONY - YOUTH DRIVING OBSTACLE |
| 227. MINI - OPEN DRIVING REINMANSHIP | 325 PONY - OPEN PLEASURE DRIVING |
| 228. MINI – YOUTH DRIVING REINMANSHIP | 326 PONY - YOUTH PLEASURE DRIVING |
| 229. MINI – OPEN BARRELS (Driving) | 327 PONY - OPEN DRIVING REINMANSHIP |
| 230. MINI – YOUTH BARRELS (Driving) | 328 PONY - YOUTH DRIVING REINMANSHIP |
| 231. MINI – OPEN FIGURE 8 RACE (Driving) | 329 PONY - OPEN BARRELS (DRIVING) |
| 232. MINI – YOUTH FIGURE 8 RACE (Driving) | 330 PONY - YOUTH BARRELS (DRIVING) |
| 233. MINI – OPEN KEYHOLE RACE (Driving) | 331 PONY - OPEN BARRELS UNDER SADDLE |
| 234. MINI – YOUTH KEYHOLE RACE (Driving) | 332 PONY - YOUTH BARRELS UNDER SADDLE |
| 235. MINI – OPEN BARRELS IN HAND | 333 PONY - OPEN FIGURE 8 RACE UNDER SADDLE |
| 236. MINI – YOUTH OPEN BARRELS IN HAND | 334 PONY - YOUTH FIGURE 8 RACE UNDER SADDLE |
| 237. MINI – OPEN FIGURE 8 RACE IN YAND | 335 PONY - OPEN KEYHOLE RACE UNDER SADDLE |
| 238. MINI – OPEN FIGURE 8 RACE IN HAND | 336 PONY – YOUTH OPEN KEYHOLE RACE UNDER SADDLE |
| 239. MINI - OPEN KEYHOLE RACE IN HAND | |
| 240. MINI – YOUTH KEYHOLE RACE IN HAND | |

